

FORTY-THIRD DAY

(Continued)

(Tuesday, March 26, 1957)

After Recess

The Senate met at 9:30 o'clock a.m., and was called to order by Senator Hardeman.

Reports of Standing Committee

Senator Lane by unanimous consent submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 26, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir, We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 300, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 26, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir, We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 325, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 26, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir, We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. C. R. No. 34, have had the same under consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
March 26, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir, We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 331, have had the same under

consideration, and we are instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed.

LANE, Chairman.

Senate Resolution 272

Senator Fly offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate, the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Grades of Mission Valley School, Victoria County, accompanied by their teachers, Miss Baass and Mr. Bernard Staff; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Fly by unanimous consent presented the students and teachers to the Members of the Senate.

Local and Uncontested Bill Session

The Presiding Officer announced that the time had arrived for the consideration of the Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar in accordance with a motion previously adopted by the Senate.

Senate Bill 173 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 173, A bill to be entitled "An Act constituting a local law for the maintenance of the public roads and highways in DeWitt County by authorizing the county to issue certificates of indebtedness for the purpose of acquiring right of way for designated federal highways, state highways and farm to market highways when the acquisition of such

right of way is approved by the State Highway Commission; requiring the levy of a tax to pay such certificates to be approved by the Attorney General and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts and prescribing the effect thereof; enacting other provisions relating to the subject; making the act cumulative; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 173 on Third Reading

Senator Fly moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 173 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Kazen
Ashley	Krueger
Bradshaw	Lane
Colson	Lock
Fly	Martin
Fuller	Moffett
Hardeman	Owen
Hazlewood	Parkhouse
Herring	Phillips
Hudson	Ratliff

Reagan
Roberts
Secrest

Smith
Willis
Wood

Absent

Gonzalez
Moore

Rogers
Weinert

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 179 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 179, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a more efficient system for maintaining the roads and highways of Victoria County; providing for competitive bids and advertisement on all contracts and purchases of \$2,000.00 or more; providing for competitive bids without advertisement on contracts or purchases less than \$2,000.00 but more than \$1,000.00 however providing for exceptions of this requirement in certain cases; providing for letting of contracts and making of purchases of \$1,000.00 or less without competitive bids or advertisement; providing for the furnishing of bond by contractor where contract is for construction of public works; providing that this act shall not apply in case of public calamity and certain other exceptions including contracts for personal or professional services or for work done by the County and paid for by the day as such work progresses; providing that this act shall only apply to funds available to the Commissioners' Court for expenditure for the maintenance of public roads and highways of the County; repealing all laws in conflict; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 179 on Third Reading

Senator Fly moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 179 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin

Ashley

Bradshaw	Martin
Colson	Moffett
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Phillips
Hazlewood	Ratliff
Herring	Reagan
Hudson	Roberts
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent

Gonzalez	Rogers
Moore	Weinert

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent

Gonzalez	Rogers
Phillips	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 180 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 180, A bill to be entitled "An Act constituting a local law for the maintenance of the public roads and highways in Victoria County by authorizing the county to issue certificates of indebtedness for certain stated purposes; stating terms and conditions of issuance; requiring the levy

of a tax to pay such certificates; enacting other provisions relating to the subject; making the act cumulative; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 180 on Third Reading

Senator Fly moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 180 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote.

Yeas—27

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent

Gonzalez	Rogers
Phillips	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bradshaw	Martin
Colson	Moffett
Fly	Moore
Fuller	Owen
Hardeman	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Ratliff
Herring	Reagan
Hudson	Roberts
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith

Weinert Willis	Wood	Absent—Excused
	Absent	Bracewell
Gonzalez Phillips	Rogers	The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.
	Absent—Excused	The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:
Bracewell		Yeas—27
Senate Bill 178 on Second Reading		
The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:		
S. B. No. 178, A bill to be entitled "An Act prescribing the compensation that may be paid justices of the peace and constables in counties having a population of at least one hundred ninety-five thousand (195,000) inhabitants and less than six hundred thousand (600,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding federal census; providing the method of fixing the compensation of these officials; providing a repealing clause; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."		
The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.		
Senate Bill 178 on Third Reading		
Senator Fuller moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 178 be placed on its third reading and final passage.		
The motion prevailed by the following vote:		
	Yeas—27	
Aikin Ashley Bradshaw Colson Fly Fuller Hardeman Hazlewood Herring Hudson Kazen Krueger Lane Lock	Martin Moffett Moore Owen Parkhouse Ratliff Reagan Roberts Secrest Smith Weinert Willis Wood	
	Absent	
Gonzalez Phillips	Rogers	
	Absent—Excused	
Bracewell		
Senate Bill 344 on Second Reading		
The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:		
S. B. No. 344, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a Juvenile Board for Jefferson County and designating the Chairman and members thereof; providing additional compensation for County and District Judges serving thereon; providing the manner of payment thereof; providing for powers of such Board under Article 5142C of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas and any amendments thereto; prohibiting, however, the payment of any salary by such County to the District Judges serving on such Board in excess of the salary provided by this Act; providing a repealing clause; providing, that if any portion of this Act is unconstitutional, it shall not affect the remainder thereof; and declaring an emergency."		
The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.		
Senate Bill 344 on Third Reading		
Senator Fuller moved that Senate		

Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 344 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 182 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before

the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 182, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the terms of office of school trustees of independent school districts having eleven thousand (11,000) or more scholastics according to the last official scholastic census and which are situated in a county having a population of five hundred thousand (500,000) inhabitants or more according to the last preceding Federal census, which districts were heretofore created by having been converted from a common school district into an independent school district; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 182 on Third Reading

Senator Gonzalez moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 182 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Ashley
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Bradshaw	Martin
Colson	Moffett
Fly	Moore
Fuller	Owen
Gonzalez	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Ratliff
Hazlewood	Reagan
Herring	Roberts
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 83 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 83, A bill to be entitled "An Act further prescribing the qualifications of directors of Bexar Metropolitan Water District by providing that each director shall be a resident qualified elector of Bexar County, Texas, and the owner of taxable property within the area comprising the district, by amending subsection (e) of Section 8 of Chapter 306, page 491, of the Acts of the Forty-ninth Legislature of Texas, Regular Session, enacted in 1945, as amended by House Bill No. 107, being Chapter 66, page 100, of the Acts of the Fifty-third Legislature, Regular Session, enacted in 1953, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 83 on Third Reading

Senator Gonzalez moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 83 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Gonzalez
Ashley	Hardeman
Bradshaw	Hazlewood
Colson	Herring
Fly	Hudson
Fuller	Kazen

Krueger	Ratliff
Lane	Reagan
Lock	Roberts
Martin	Secrest
Moffett	Smith
Moore	Weinert
Owen	Willis
Parkhouse	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 335 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 335, A bill to be entitled "An Act detaching certain territory from Bexar County Water Control and Improvement District No. 13; redefining the boundaries thereof; validating, ratifying, confirming and approving the organizational proceedings and actions of the Board of Directors thereof, except the bond election and related proceedings; making bonds of the District eligible for investments, and exempting the property and the bonds of the District from taxation; making bonds of the District incon-

testable; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 335 on Third Reading

Senator Gonzalez moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 335 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 336 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 336, A bill to be entitled "An Act ratifying, confirming and validating the designation of the boundary lines and the designation of the Dallam County Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 North of Canadian River in Texas, Dated December 22, 1950, and of the creation and establishment of the Dallam County Underground Water Conservation District No. 1; Prescribing the powers, functions and limitations of such district, including power to levy taxes and issue bonds; providing the Act shall not be construed to affect any District or bond proceedings or bonds issued or to be issued in which there is pending litigation upon the effective date of the Act; containing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 336 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 336 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 284 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 284, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending House Bill No. 172, Acts, 52nd Legislature, 1951 (Art. 326K-14, Vernon's Civil Statutes), so that in the 53rd Judicial District of Texas the maximum salary of assistants, investigators, reporters and secretaries appointed by the District Attorney may be fixed at a sum not exceeding Seven Thousand Five Hundred (\$7,500.00) Dollars; and containing a severability clause."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 284 on Third Reading

Senator Herring moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 284 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 345 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 345, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sec. 1 of House Bill 44, Acts of the 49th Leg., 1945, chap. 220, p. 304, providing for the employment and salary of stenographers or clerks for county judges

in certain counties; repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kazen offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 345 by striking out all of Section 1 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. That Section 1 of House Bill 44, Acts of the 49th Legislature, Chapter 220, page 304 (codified as Art. 1934a-10, V.A.C.S.) be, and the same is hereby amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

'Section 1. In any county in this State whose population as shown by the last preceding Federal census is not more than seventeen thousand, five hundred (17,500) and not less than seven thousand five hundred (7,500), and having an assessed valuation of not less than twenty-five million dollars (\$25,000,000), the county judge may, with the approval of the commissioners court, employ a stenographer or clerk at a salary not exceeding four hundred dollars (\$400.00) per month, such salary to be fixed by the commissioners court and paid monthly by county warrants drawn on the county general fund under the orders of the commissioners court of such county.'

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Kazen and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 345 on Third Reading

Senator Kazen moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 345 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Fuller
Ashley	Gonzalez
Bradshaw	Hardeman
Colson	Hazlewood
Fly	Herring

Hudson	Parkhouse
Kazen	Ratliff
Krueger	Reagan
Lane	Roberts
Lock	Secrest
Martin	Smith
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	Willis
Owen	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 204 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 204, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 264, page 735, of the Acts of the 54th Legislature, so as to provide a Juvenile Court for Waller and Hamilton Counties, Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 204 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that Senate

Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 204 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Secrest
Herring	Smith
Hudson	Weinert
Kazen	Willis
Krueger	Wood
Lane	

Nays—1

Moffett

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 127 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 127, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Senate Bill 200 of the 46th Legislature, as amended by House Bill 604 of the 51st Legislature and House Bill 399 of the 54th Legislature, so as to provide that all tags required by law to be attached to mattresses shall be securely sewn to the mattresses on one side only of such tag; repealing conflicting laws; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 127 by striking out all of Section 1 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. That Paragraph (e) of Section 2, of Senate Bill 200 of the 46th Legislature, as amended by House Bill 604 of the 51st Legislature and House Bill 399 of the 54th Legislature, be, and the same is hereby repealed."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Martin and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 127 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 127 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Hudson
Ashley	Kazen
Bradshaw	Krueger
Colson	Lane
Fly	Lock
Fuller	Martin
Gonzalez	Moffett
Hardeman	Moore
Hazlewood	Owen
Herring	Parkhouse

Ratliff	Smith
Reagan	Weinert
Roberts	Willis
Secrest	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 324 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

C. S. S. B. No. 324, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that no person shall acquire by descent or distribution, or by will, any interest in the estate of another for whose death such person has been convicted of murder with malice aforethought; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 324 on Third Reading

Senator Moffett moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule

requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. S. B. No. 324 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 357 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before

the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 357, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court of Hudspeth, Culberson and El Paso Counties to pay the District Judge of the 34th Judicial District compensation in addition to the compensation paid by the State; making other provisions relating thereto; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 357 on Third Reading

Senator Owen moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 357 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Fly
Ashley	Fuller
Bradshaw	Gonzalez
Colson	Hardeman

Hazlewood	Owen
Herring	Parkhouse
Hudson	Ratliff
Kazen	Reagan
Krueger	Roberts
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Smith
Martin	Weinert
Moffett	Willis
Moore	Wood

Absent

Phillips Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 358 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 358, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court of El Paso County to pay the District Judge of the 65th Judicial District compensation in addition to the compensation paid by the State; making other provisions; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Owen offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 358 by striking out the words and figures Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars.

The committee amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Owen and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 358 on Third Reading

Senator Owen moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 358 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 359 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 359, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Court of El Paso County to pay the District Judge of the 41st Judicial District compensation in addition to the compensation paid by the State;

making other provisions relating thereto, providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Owen offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 359 by striking out the words and figures Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars and substituting in lieu thereof the words and figures Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars.

The committee amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Owen and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill is amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 359 on Third Reading

Senator Owen moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 359 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 391 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 391, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 476 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1925, to provide that whoever uses any telephone in any manner with intent to harass, annoy, torment, abuse, threaten or intimidate another shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars nor more than One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than one (1) month nor more than twelve (12) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Parkhouse offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 391 by adding at the end of the caption of the bill the words "and declaring an emergency."

The committee amendment was adopted.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 391 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional

Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 391 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood

Absent

Phillips	Rogers
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 411 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before

the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 411, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 511, Acts 1955, 54th Legislature, Regular Session, by increasing the land area within jurisdiction of said Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Phillips offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 411 by striking out the last three paragraphs in Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Thence South with the centerline of said Eldridge Road, 8525 feet, more or less, to a point in the South right-of-way line of G. H. & S. A. Railway;

"Thence South 78° 02' West 4675 feet with the South line of said G. H. & S. A. Railway, to its intersection with the Northeast right-of-way line of Missouri Pacific Railroad;

"Thence South 51° 46' East to the place of beginning and containing a total of 4125.00 acres of land, more or less, 104.00 acres being in the S. M. Williams League, 2701.00 acres being in the Brown and Belknap League, 230.00 acres being in the Elijah Alcorn League, and 1090.00 acres being in the William Stafford League, all in Fort Bend County, Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Phillips and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 411 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 411 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Bradshaw
Ashley	Colson

Fly	Moore
Fuller	Owen
Gonzalez	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Phillips
Hazlewood	Ratliff
Herring	Reagan
Hudson	Roberts
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith
Lane	Weinert
Lock	Willis
Martin	Wood
Moffett	

Absent

Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Absent

Rogers

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 342 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 342, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make it unlawful to use or employ doors or boards to spread or open a shrimp trawl in the inland salt waters of Nueces County during the closed season of a greater size and dimension than twenty-four (24)

by thirty-six (36) inches, or a total of eight hundred and sixty-four (864) square inches, providing a penalty and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 342 on Third Reading

Senator Reagan moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 342 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 377 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 377, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to the Willacy County Navigation District the power and authority to lease land; to sell land to governmental agencies; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 377 on Third Reading

Senator Reagan moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 377 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hazlewood
Ashley	Herring
Bradshaw	Hudson
Colson	Kazen
Fly	Krueger
Fuller	Lane
Gonzalez	Lock
Hardeman	Martin

Moffett	Roberts
Moore	Rogers
Owen	Secrest
Parkhouse	Smith
Phillips	Weinert
Ratliff	Willis
Reagan	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 360 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 360, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners Court of Ector County to pay the District Judge of the 70th Judicial District compensation in addition to the compensation paid by the State; making other provisions relating thereto; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment:

Senate Bill 360 on Third Reading

Senator Roberts moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 360 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moore
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hardeman	Roberts
Hazlewood	Rogers
Herring	Secrest
Hudson	Smith
Kazen	Weinert
Krueger	Willis
Lane	Wood
Lock	

Nays—1

Moffett

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 201 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 201, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 96, General Laws of the 43rd Legislature, Regular Session (Article 978k, Vernon's Texas Penal Code), relating to propagation of game animals and game birds by licensed game breeders, by adding a new section permitting game breeders to utilize for personal purposes game birds owned by them; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 201 on Third Reading

Senator Rogers moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 201 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Fuller
Ashley	Gonzalez
Bradshaw	Hardeman
Colson	Hazlewood
Fly	Herring

Hudson	Phillips
Kazen	Ratliff
Krueger	Reagan
Lane	Roberts
Lock	Rogers
Martin	Secrest
Moffett	Smith
Moore	Weinert
Owen	Willis
Parkhouse	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 329 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 329, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 16, Chapter 342, Acts of the 53rd Legislature, Regular Session, 1953, concerning the fixing of venue for appeals from orders of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 329 on Third Reading

Senator Rogers moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 329 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 277 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 277, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending House Bill No. 611, Chapter 562, Page 914, Acts of the 47th Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, being Article 695c, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes, by adding a new Section to be known as Section 4-A so as to authorize the superintendents of children's institutions un-

der the supervision and management of the State Department of Public Welfare to receive funds on behalf of children in said institutions and to expend the same on behalf of the individual child for whom the money is received; providing safeguards for the handling of such funds; providing a repealing clause, a saving clause, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Secrest offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 277 by changing the period at the end of the first sentence of the second paragraph in Section 1 to a comma and adding the following language:

"Except, however, that said superintendents shall not be authorized to accept any single payment in excess of \$100.00 nor shall they be authorized to hold on behalf of any child in said institutions an accumulated sum in excess of \$500.00. No superintendent of any such home or institution shall serve as guardian of the estate of any child in said home or institution, except as herein provided."

The Committee Amendment was adopted.

Senator Secrest offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 277 by changing the last sentence in the last paragraph of Section 1 to read as follows:

"Any unexpended balance belonging to an individual shall be given to said individual, if he has attained his majority, or if not, then to his legal representative when said individual leaves the institution on a permanent basis."

The Committee Amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Secrest and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 277 on Third Reading

Senator Secrest moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule

32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 277 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 147 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section I of House Bill 119 enacted by the first called session of the Fifty-third Legislature

(being an act authorizing cities having more than 250,000 population to issue Airport Revenue Bonds for purposes under conditions, and having specifications as provided therein); to revise the minimum population limit for the issuance of such Airport Revenue Bonds; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 147 on Third Reading

Senator Smith moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 147 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bradshaw	Martin
Colson	Moffett
Fly	Moore
Fuller	Owen
Gonzalez	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Phillips
Hazlewood	Ratliff
Herring	Reagan
Hudson	Roberts
Kazen	Rogers
Krueger	Secrest

Smith
Weinert

Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 298 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 298, A bill to be entitled "An Act conferring concurrent jurisdiction in the County Court of Gonzales County with the Justice Courts of Gonzales County conforming the jurisdiction of said Courts providing for appeals from the County Court; making other provisions relating to the jurisdiction of said Courts; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 298 on Third Reading

Senator Weinert moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 298 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 299 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 299, A bill to be entitled "An Act diminishing the jurisdiction of the County Court of Gonzales County; transferring jurisdiction of matters of eminent domain from the County Court of Gonzales County to the Special 25th Judicial District Court of Gonzales County and the 25th Judicial District Court of Gonzales County; conforming the jurisdiction of the district and county courts of Gonzales County; making other provisions relating thereto; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 299 on Third Reading

Senator Weinert moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 299 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hazlewood
Ashley	Herring
Bradshaw	Hudson
Colson	Kazen
Fly	Krueger
Fuller	Lane
Gonzalez	Lock
Hardeman	Martin

Moffett	Roberts
Moore	Rogers
Owen	Secrest
Parkhouse	Smith
Phillips	Weinert
Ratliff	Willis
Reagan	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 51 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 51, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the sale of pen-raised game birds; defining pen-raised game birds; providing for a commercial game bird breeder's license and fixing fee for same; providing for deposit of license fees; requiring each pen-raised game bird carcass to be marked for identification; prohibiting the sale of pen-raised game birds that have been killed by shooting; providing for exceptions; fixing a penalty for a violation of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 51 on Third Reading

Senator Willis moved that Senate

Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 51 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 207 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 207, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 4 of Chapter 95, Acts of the 51st Legislature, Regular Session, 1949, as amended

(Section 4 of Article 4590c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), relating to organization, officers and compensation of the State Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 207 on Third Reading

Senator Willis moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 207 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused**Bracewell****Senate Bill 208 on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 208, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 95, Acts of the 51st Legislature, Regular Session, 1949, as amended (Section 5 of Article 4590c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), relating to fees payable to the State Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences by applicants for certificates issued by the Board; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 208 on Third Reading

Senator Willis moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 208 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused**Bracewell**

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Colson
Ashley	Fly
Bradshaw	Fuller

Gonzalez	Owen
Hardeman	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Roberts
Krueger	Rogers
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Smith
Martin	Weinert
Moffett	Willis
Moore	Wood

Absent—Excused**Bracewell****Senate Bill 395 on Second Reading**

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 395, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a Conservation District under Article XVI, Section 59 of the Constitution comprising certain territory contained in Henderson County, Texas, to be known as 'Athens Municipal Water Authority,' etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 395 on Third Reading

Senator Wood moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 395 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused**Bracewell**

The Presiding Officer then laid the

bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 90 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 90, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for county juvenile boards in each of the counties of Angelina, Cherokee and Nacogdoches; prescribing the membership and powers of each board and providing for compensation for the members of the boards; providing that this Act shall be cumulative of existing laws relating to compensation for judges of district courts and county judges; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 90 on Third Reading

Senator Lock moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 90 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Fly
Ashley	Fuller
Bradshaw	Gonzalez
Colson	Hardeman

Hazlewood	Parkhouse
Herring	Phillips
Hudson	Ratliff
Kazen	Reagan
Krueger	Roberts
Lane	Rogers
Lock	Secrest
Martin	Smith
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	Willis
Owen	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 203 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 203, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3.04 of the Insurance Code (Acts of 1951, 52nd Leg. as amended by the Acts of 1955, 54th Leg., p. 916, ch. 363, Sec. 6) pertaining to the application, charter and organization of life, health or accident insurance companies, prescribing conditions for the granting of a charter, providing for a public hearing and the procedure for securing a charter and organization of such companies and the issues to be determined by the Board of Insurance Commissioners, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 203 on Third Reading

Senator Secrest moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 203 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 254 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before

the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 254, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the incorporation of all cities and towns of five thousand (5,000) inhabitants or less, heretofore incorporated or attempted to be incorporated under the General Laws of this State; validating the area and the boundary lines thereof; providing that this Act shall not apply to any city or town now involved in litigation questioning the legality of the incorporation or any of the acts or proceedings hereby validated, if such litigation is ultimately determined against the legality thereof; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 254 on Third Reading

Senator Lane moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 254 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Ashley
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Bradshaw	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Fly	• Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Phillips
Hardeman	Ratliff
Hazlewood	Reagan
Herring	Roberts
Hudson	Rogers
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith
Lane	Weinert
Lock	Willis
Martin	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 412 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 412, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the appointment of bailiffs in every County in this State which comprises a part of two Judicial Districts each of which Districts consists of four and the same four Counties, which four Counties have a combined population of not less than 136,000 according to the last preceding Federal Census; providing for salaries for such bailiffs and the manner of payments thereof; designating the funds from which such payments shall be made; designating the duties to be performed; providing for the removal of such bailiffs; providing for said bailiffs to be deputized, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 412 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 412 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Gonzalez
Ashley	Hardeman
Bradshaw	Hazlewood
Colson	Herring
Fly	Hudson
Fuller	Kazen

Krueger	Ratliff
Lane	Reagan
Lock	Roberts
Martin	Rogers
Moffett	Secrest
Moore	Smith
Owen	Weinert
Parkhouse	Willis
Phillips	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 332 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 332, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2786, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, by deleting the requirement that schoolhouse bonds shall mature in not more than twenty years from their date when schoolhouses are built of wood; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 332 on Third Reading

Senator Lock moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that

S. B. No. 332 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Concurrent Resolution 29 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 29, Granting Jack E. Pratt permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 49 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 49, Granting Lopeno Gas Company permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Record of Vote

Senator Hardeman asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the adoption of S. C. R. No. 49.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. C. R. No. 26, Granting Ernest O. McKinney et ux. permission to sue the State of Texas.

The resolution was read second time.

Senator Willis offered the following committee amendment to the resolution:

Amend S. C. R. No. 26 by adding the word "of" between the words "or" and "any" in the second sentence of the next to last resolving clause.

The committee amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 26 on Third Reading

Senator Willis moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. C. R. No. 26 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Colson
Ashley	Fly
Bradshaw	Fuller

Gonzalez	Owen
Hardeman	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Roberts
Krueger	Rogers
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Smith
Martin	Weinert
Moffett	Willis
Moore	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the resolution before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The resolution was read third time and adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

House Bill 189 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 189, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing the provisions of House Bill 931, Acts of the 46th Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, ch. 22, p. 195, relating to the Criminal Jurisdiction of the 76th Judicial District Court in Morris County; restoring the Criminal Jurisdiction of the County Court of Morris County; providing that all criminal cases on the docket of the 76th Judicial District Court of Morris County which the 76th Judicial District Court acquired by virtue of the provisions of House Bill 931, Acts of the 46th Leg-

islature, Regular Session, 1939, ch. 22, p. 195, be transferred to the County Court of Morris County and to conform the jurisdiction of the County Court of Morris County and the 76th Judicial District Court to such change; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 189 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 189 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Kazen
Ashley	Krueger
Bradshaw	Lane
Colson	Lock
Fly	Martin
Fuller	Moffett
Gonzalez	Moore
Hardeman	Owen
Hazlewood	Parkhouse
Herring	Phillips
Hudson	Ratliff

Reagan	Smith
Roberts	Weinert
Rogers	Willis
Secrest	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

House Bill 150 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 16 of Chapter 25, Acts of the 39th Legislature, Regular Session, 1925 (codified in Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes as Article 7880-16) so as to authorize a water control and improvement district to have a wider and more descriptive choice of names to designate it; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 150 on Third Reading

Senator Parkhouse moved that Senate Rule 32 and the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 150 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

House Concurrent Resolution 32 on Second Reading

The Presiding Officer laid before the Senate on its second reading the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 32, Granting the B & A Pipe Line Company permission to bring suit against the State of Texas.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Record of Vote

Senator Hardeman asked to be recorder as voting "Nay" on the adoption of H. C. R. No. 32.

Message from the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
March 26, 1957.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. B. No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the organizational proceedings of cities, towns and villages, including their incorporation, adoption of charters and charter amendment or amendments (of home rule cities), consolidations and boundaries; validating governmental proceedings, offices and officers of any city, town or village; providing the Act shall not validate the organizational or governmental proceedings if the question is involved in litigation; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 396, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 370, Acts 53rd Leg., R. S. 1953, relating to Orange County Navigation and Port District of Orange County, Texas; providing that this Act shall not affect rights heretofore vested in or acquired by said District under said Chapter 370 prior to its amendment; validating said District and declaring it to be a validly existing and operating conservation and reclamation district under Sec. 59, Art. 16, Constitution of Texas, and validating (with certain exceptions) elections held in the District and acts and governmental proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of the District; finding that all property in District and in State of Texas is benefited by District and will be benefited by the improvements and facilities to be acquired or constructed under this Act; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 503, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the County Court at Law No. 3 of Bexar County; providing the organization thereof and practice therein; providing for the appointment and election of the Judge of said Court; prescribing his qualifications, powers, duties, term of office and compensation; providing for the appointment of an official Court Reporter for said Court; prescribing his qualifications, duties and compensation; providing for the appointment, designation and compensation of other officers of the Court; making other provisions relative to the business and functioning of the County Courts at Law of Bexar County, providing a repealing clause; providing a severability clause and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 528, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the County Court at Law of Scurry County; defining the jurisdiction of said court; prescribing the terms of said court; prescribing the qualifications of the Judge; regulating practice therein; providing for a clerk thereof; providing for the transfer of cases; providing for removal of Judge and vacancy in office; providing for the appointment of a Reporter; establishing the effective date of this Act; providing for the salary of the Judge; making provisions pertaining to the jury; and making other provisions relating to said court."

H. B. No. 494, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district under Article XVI, Section 59, of the Constitution, comprising the territory contained within the cities of Seymour, Knox City, Munday, Goree, Haskell, Rule, and Rochester, to be known as the 'North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority,' for the purpose of providing a source of water supply for municipal, domestic, industrial, and mining uses and processing and transporting the same; providing for a board of directors to govern said authority; providing for the annexation of additional territory thereto; authorizing the authority to do all things to make available for the above-named uses water from surface sources and water it may obtain by purchase, lease, and operation contracts with persons, firms, corporations, and public agencies or the United States Government or any of its agencies; empowering the authority to acquire land and construct, lease, or otherwise acquire all facilities necessary or useful in diverting, impounding, storing, processing, or transporting water for the above-named purposes; authorizing the authority to lease or acquire rights in and to storage and storage capacity in any reservoir; authorizing the issuance of bonds and making provision for the payment and security thereof; making applicable to the authority Title 52, Revised Civil Statutes, as amended, relating to eminent domain, and declaring the authority to be a municipal corporation within the meaning of Article 3268 of Title 52; providing that the authority shall bear the expense of relocation, raising, or rerouting of any highway, railroad, or utility lines or pipelines made necessary by its exercise of the power of eminent domain; prescribing other powers and duties of the authority; providing that the authority shall not exercise any of the power or authority conferred in this Act until establishment of such authority is confirmed at an election held throughout the authority; enacting other provisions relating to the subject; providing that nothing in this Act shall be interpreted to repeal or amend Article 7471, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; providing for severability; and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY HALLMAN,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Conclusion of Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar Session

The Presiding Officer announced the conclusion of the session for the consideration of the Local and Uncontested Bill Calendar.

At Ease

The Presiding Officer announced at 10:25 o'clock a.m. that the Senate would stand At Ease for 15 minutes.

In Legislative Session

The President called the Senate to order as in Legislative Session at 10:40 o'clock a.m.

Bill and Resolution Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bill and resolution:

S. C. R. No. 52, Recalling S. B. No. 237 from House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 352, General Laws, Regular Session, 53rd Legislature, 1953 (codified as Article 7519a and 7519b), so as to declare as abandoned all certified filings heretofore filed with and permits heretofore issued by the Board of Water Engineers and permits hereafter issued by the Board of Water Engineers or its successor, which certified filings and permits authorize the appropriation of public waters, when no part of the waters authorized to be appropriated has ever been put to beneficial use at any time during a ten year period preceding the effective date of this Act or the date of cancellation proceedings authorized hereby; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Senate Resolution 273

Senator Martin offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate, 23 members of the Carlton, Texas, High School Civics Class, accompanied by their sponsors, Mr. Wayne Jordan, Mr. Melvin Howard, and Mr. Vernon H. Baker; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe

and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Martin by unanimous consent presented the students and sponsors to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 274

Senator Fly offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate, Seventh Grade History Class of the Cuero Junior High School, Cuero, DeWitt County, accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. H. S. Whiteman and Mrs. Peace Cragin; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to them in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Fly by unanimous consent presented the students and teachers to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 275

Senator Hardeman offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today by the presence of a distinguished Texan, Mr. J. T. Davis of Sterling City, Texas, who is a visitor in the City of Austin and in the State Capitol; and

Whereas, Mr. Davis is sponsoring the appearance of Misses Earlene Whitt, Peggy Seay and Elizabeth

Ann Hough, the reigning Queens and Alternate of Wool and Mohair; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Senate to recognize and welcome this distinguished Texan to Austin and the Capitol and to invite him to visit the Senate Chamber during his sojourn; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, That a cordial welcome be and the same is hereby extended Mr. Davis and that he be extended the privileges of the floor for the day.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Bill 321 Re-referred

On motion of Senator Lane and by unanimous consent S. B. No. 321 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Affairs and was re-referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Senate Bill 77 with House Amendments

Senator Parkhouse called S. B. No. 77 from the President's table for consideration of the House amendments to the bill.

The President laid the bill and House amendments before the Senate, and the House amendments were read.

Senator Parkhouse moved that the Senate concur in the House amendments.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Moffett
Ashley	Moore
Bradshaw	Parkhouse
Colson	Phillips
Fuller	Ratliff
Gonzalez	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood
Martin	

Nays—2

Fly	Hardeman
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Absent

Owen

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Bill 9 with House Amendments

Senator Willis called S. B. No. 9 from the President's table for consideration of the House amendments to the bill.

The President laid the bill and House amendments before the Senate, and the House amendments were read.

Senator Willis moved that the Senate concur in the House amendments.

The motion prevailed.

Senate Resolution 276

Senator Gonzalez offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as visitors in the Senate the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women of San Antonio, Texas, and Rev. Erwin A. Juraschek; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome these distinguished visitors to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That their presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that they be extended the official welcome of the Senate.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Gonzalez by unanimous consent presented the distinguished guests to the Members of the Senate.

Conference Committee on Senate Bill 86

The President announced the appointment of the following as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate on S. B. No. 86: Senators Martin, Lane, Hardeman, Roberts and Aikin.

Senate Bill 417 on First Reading

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Phillips:

S. B. No. 417, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating Galveston County Road District No. 1 of Galveston County, Texas, under authority of Section 52, Article III, Constitution of Texas, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance, and operation of macadamized, graveled, or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; making it a body corporate and taxing district; describing the boundaries of said district and including provisions relating thereto; granting said District the authority to issue tax bonds, revenue bonds, and tax-revenue bonds, and containing provisions relating to said bonds and the issuance thereof; containing provisions relating to operation and maintenance of the improvements and facilities of said District; authorizing the levy and collection of maintenance taxes; containing other provisions relating to the subject; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.

Senate Bill 418 on First Reading

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Colson	Owen
Fly	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Phillips:

S. B. No. 418, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Texas Prison Board to sell or lease to the City of Lake Jackson, Brazoria County, Texas, a certain portion of the Retrieve Prison Farm located in Brazoria County, Texas, for the purpose of a public park; providing for the use of the proceeds from such sale or lease; making other provisions relating thereto and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill 419 on First Reading

Senator Phillips by unanimous consent moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Krueger
Ashley	Lane
Bradshaw	Lock
Colson	Martin
Fly	Moffett
Fuller	Moore
Gonzalez	Owen
Hardeman	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Phillips
Herring	Ratliff
Hudson	Reagan
Kazen	Roberts

Rogers
Secrest
Smith

Weinert
Willis
Wood

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Phillips:

S. B. No. 419, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that certain eligible counties shall have the authority to acquire land for and to purchase, construct, repair, equip and improve buildings and other permanent improvements to be used as a county branch office building; providing the cost of such facilities may be paid for by the issuance of bonds or certificates of indebtedness; prescribing the terms, conditions, and effect of such obligations and the methods for their issuance; declaring legislative intent; providing a severance clause and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.

Senate Bill 155 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Lock and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 155, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing penalties for the failure to pay losses under life, health, and accident policies issued by general casualty companies, local mutual aid associations, statewide mutual assessment companies, mutual casualty companies, Lloyds organizations, reciprocal exchanges, and corporations operating non-profit, hospital service plans under authority of Chapter 20, Texas Insurance Code; providing for attorney fees for the prosecution and collection of such losses; repealing all laws in conflict therewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 155 on Third Reading

Senator Lock moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that

Senate Bill No. 155 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Moffett
Ashley	Moore
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood
Martin	

Absent

Fuller

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Moffett
Ashley	Moore
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood
Martin	

Absent

Fuller

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 20 on Second Reading

Senator Hazlewood asked unani-

mous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up C. S. S. B. No. 20 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Hazlewood then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up C. S. S. B. No. 20 for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—25

Aikin	Moffett
Bradshaw	Moore
Fuller	Owen
Gonzalez	Parkhouse
Hardeman	Ratliff
Hazlewood	Reagan
Herring	Roberts
Hudson	Rogers
Kazen	Secrest
Krueger	Smith
Lane	Weinert
Lock	Willis
Martin	

Nays—3

Ashley	Phillips
Fly	

Absent

Colson	Wood
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

C. S. S. B. No. 20, An Act amending Section 10½ of Article 667 of the Penal Code, Vernon's Texas Statutes, being a part of the Texas Liquor Control Act, so as to clarify the law with regard to the right of incorporated cities and towns to regulate the hours of sale of beer at retail, and granting authority to the Commissioners' Courts to regulate the hours of sale on Sundays in counties or in justice's precincts outside of cities or towns when the largest incorporated city or town in a county or in a justice's precinct has, prior to January 1, 1957, shortened the hours of sale of beer on Sundays, as permitted by Section 10, Article II of the Texas Liquor Control Act; providing a savings clause; repealing

laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Hazlewood offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 20 by striking everything below the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Amend Section 667-10½, Penal Code, Vernon's Texas Statutes, being Section 10½ of Article II of the Texas Liquor Control Act, so the same shall hereafter read as follows:

"Section 10½. In any incorporated city or town where the sale of beer as defined in the Texas Liquor Control Act is prohibited by charter or amendment thereto or by any ordinance from being sold in the residential section, such charter amendments or ordinances shall remain valid and continue effective until such time as such charter provisions, amendments, or ordinances may be repealed or amended.

"All incorporated cities and towns are hereby authorized to regulate the sale of beer on Sundays within the corporate limits of such cities and towns by charter amendments or ordinance, and may thereby prescribe the opening and closing hours for such sales; such cities and towns may also designate certain zones in the residential section or sections of said cities and towns where such regulations for opening and closing hours for the sale of beer shall be observed or where such sales may be prohibited. All incorporated cities and towns and all Commissioners' Courts when acting under authority of this Section are hereby authorized in adopting charter amendments, ordinances, or orders to distinguish between retailers selling beer for consumption on the premises where sold and those retailers, manufacturers, or distributors selling not for consumption on the premises where sold, and to provide for separate and distinct regulations. Nothing herein shall authorize any incorporated city or town to extend by ordinance or charter the hours of sale as fixed by the State law.

"When, in a county in which only one incorporated city or town is located, and said incorporated city or town has within its limits a majority of the total population of said county according to the last preceding Federal Census, and said incorporated

city or town has, prior to January 1, 1957, by valid charter amendment or ordinance, shortened the hours of sale of beer permitted on Sundays by Section 10 of Article II of this Act, then the Commissioners' Court of said county is hereby given the power after publication of notice for four (4) consecutive weeks in some newspaper of general circulation published in said county, or if there be no such newspaper published in said county then in some newspaper published in a near-by county and generally circulated in said county, to enter an order prohibiting the sale of beer on Sundays during the same hours when it is prohibited by said charter amendment or ordinance in any part or all of the areas within the prescribed limits of said county lying outside of said incorporated city or town."

Section 2. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or provision of this Act is for any reason held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any other portion of this Act, but this Act shall be construed and enforced as if such invalid provision had not been contained therein.

Section 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 4. The fact that there is urgent need for clarification of the Texas Liquor Control Act creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said Rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

Record of Vote

Senator Phillips asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the adoption of the above amendment.

Senator Hazlewood offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 20 by striking out everything above the enacting clause and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

A BILL

To be Entitled

"An Act amending Section 10½ of Article 667 of the Penal Code, Vernon's Texas Statutes, being a part of the Texas Liquor Control Act, so

as to clarify the law with regard to the right of incorporated cities and towns to regulate the hours of sale of beer at retail on Sundays and granting authority to Commissioners' Courts to regulate the hours of sale of beer on Sundays in certain counties; providing a savings clause; repealing laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The amendment was adopted.

Record of Vote

Senator Phillips asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the adoption of the above amendment.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Record of Vote

Senator Phillips asked to be recorded as voting "Nay" on the passage of C. S. S. B. No. 20 to engrossment.

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 20 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. S. B. No. 20 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis

Nays—1

Phillips

Absent

Colson	Wood
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bradshaw	Moffett
Fly	Owen
Fuller	Parkhouse
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis

Nays—1

Phillips

Absent

Colson	Wood
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Presentation of Guests

Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Resolution 258 the President announced the appointment of the following committee to escort the distinguished guests to the President's Rostrum:

Senators Hardeman, Weinert, Lane and Ashley.

The President presented Senator Hardeman and Senator Hardeman presented the following guests to the Members of the Senate:

Miss Earlene Whitt of Austin, Queen of Wool;

Miss Peggy Seay of Floresville, alternate Queen of Wool;

Miss Elizabeth Ann Hough of Rocksprings, Queen of Mohair;

Mr. J. T. Davis of Sterling City, sponsor of the queens of wool and mohair.

Each of the guests addressed the Senate expressing appreciation and pleasure for being guests of the Senate.

Senate Resolution 278

Senator Herring offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery of the Senate, the 12B Civics Classes of the Stephen F. Austin High School in Austin, Texas, including Miss Kay Kelly Roberts, daughter of our distinguished Senator from Collin County, Ray Roberts, accompanied by their sponsors, Roland Johnson, Mrs. Lottie Bristol, Miss Fleur Walton, Anthony Mucaluso, and Miss Susan Mowery; and

Whereas, These students are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; and

Whereas, This fine group of young American citizens is here to observe and to learn at firsthand the workings of their State government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we officially recognize and welcome these guests and commend them for their interest; and that a copy of this Resolution, properly endorsed, bearing the official seal of the Senate, be mailed to their classes in recognition of their visit.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Herring by unanimous consent presented the students and sponsors to the Members of the Senate.

Motion to Place Senate Bill 38 on Second Reading

Senator Parkhouse asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 38 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Parkhouse then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 38 for consideration at this time.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—11

Aikin	Ratliff
Fuller	Rogers
Gonzalez	Smith
Hazlewood	Willis
Kazen	Wood
Parkhouse	

Nays—16

Ashley	Lane
Bradshaw	Martin
Colson	Moffett
Fly	Phillips
Hardeman	Reagan
Herring	Roberts
Hudson	Secrest
Krueger	Weinert

Absent

Lock	Owen
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Resolution 279

Senator Ashley offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as a visitor in the gallery, the Honorable Dewey Lawrence of Tyler; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome this distinguished visitor to the Capitol Building and Capital City; Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that he be extended the official welcome of the Senate.

WOOD
ASHLEY

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Ashley by unanimous consent presented Mr. Lawrence to the Members of the Senate.

Senate Bill 237 on Third Reading

Senator Krueger asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 237 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Krueger then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up S. B. No. 237 for consideration at this time on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—24

Aikin	Fuller
Ashley	Gonzalez
Bradshaw	Hazlewood
Colson	Herring

Kazen	Ratliff
Krueger	Reagan
Lane	Rogers
Lock	Secrest
Martin	Smith
Moffett	Weinert
Parkhouse	Willis
Phillips	Wood

Nays—3

Fly	Roberts
Hardeman	

Absent

Hudson	Owen
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The President laid before the Senate on its third reading and final passage:

S. B. No. 237, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3930 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Acts 1945, 49th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 368, Page 662, Section 4, relating to fees which the clerks of the County Courts shall receive for their services; containing a repealing clause and a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time and was passed.

Record of Votes

Senator Hazlewood asked to be recorded as voting "yea" on the final passage of S. B. No. 237.

Senators Hardeman, Fly and Roberts asked to be recorded as voting "nay" on the final passage of S. B. No. 237.

Senate Bill 372 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Martin and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 372, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the creation of Rural Fire Prevention Districts, prescribing the method of their creation including the requiring for a petition, hearing, and election thereon; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Martin offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 372 by striking out the last sentence in Section 12, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"The values of property in the said district shall be the same values as are shown on the County tax rolls."

The committee amendment was adopted.

Senator Martin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 372 by the addition of a new section, Section 8(a), following Section 8, to read as follows:

"Section 8(a):

"If the area of the proposed District encompasses the territory of any incorporated city, town or village, the Commissioners' Court, in making the determinations required in Section 6 of this Act, shall also determine whether those findings would be the same as to the remaining portion of the proposed district excluding any or all such incorporated municipalities in the event any one or more of such incorporated municipality should fail to cast a majority vote in favor of the District and the tax.

"This finding shall be made as to each particular city, town or village whose territory is proposed to be included within the area of the proposed district.

"No district hereafter created shall include the area of any incorporated city, town, or village, unless a majority of the electors residing in the municipality and participating in the election called by the Commissioners' Court to confirm the district and levy the tax have voted in favor of both the creation of the district and the levy of the tax.

"Should a majority of the voters residing in a municipality and participating in the election vote against creation of the district or levy of the tax, the municipality shall not be included within the district, but its exclusion shall not affect the creation of the District embracing the remainder of the proposed territory if the findings of the Commissioners' Court made as required in Section 6 and in this Section of this Act are favorable to the creation of the District, as thus restricted."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Martin and by unanimous consent the caption was amended to conform to the body of the bill as amended.

The bill as amended was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 372 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 372 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent

Fuller	Moore
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Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Martin
Ashley	Moffett
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

<p style="text-align: center;">Absent</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fuller Moore</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Absent—Excused</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bracewell</p>	<p>H. B. No. 418, to Committee on State Affairs.</p> <p>H. B. No. 425, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">House Bills on First Reading</p>	<p>H. B. No. 428, to Committee on Water and Conservation.</p>
<p>The following bills received from the House, were read the first time and referred to the committees indicated:</p>	<p>H. B. No. 431, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p> <p>H. B. No. 434, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 2, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 435, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 245, to Committee on Jurisprudence.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 436, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 246, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 437, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 247, To Committee on Game and Fish.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 454, to Committee on Public Health.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 258, to Committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 494, to Committee on Water and Conservation.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 269, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 501, to Committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 205, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 503, to Committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 292, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 523, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 322, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 528, to Committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 330, to Committee on Jurisprudence.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 578, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 354, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 641, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 359, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>H. B. No. 662, to Committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 362, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.</p>	<p>Conference Committee on House Bill 161</p>
<p>H. B. No. 378, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>	<p>The President announced the appointment of the following as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate on H. B. No. 161:</p>
<p>H. B. No. 379, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>	<p>Senators Parkhouse, Hardeman, Kazen, Moffett and Wood.</p>
<p>H. B. No. 391, to Committee on State Affairs.</p>	<p>Conference Committee on House Joint Resolution 3</p>
<p>H. B. No. 396, to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.</p>	<p>The President announced the ap-</p>
<p>H. B. No. 411, to Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.</p>	
<p>H. B. No. 412, to Committee on Game and Fish.</p>	

pointment of the following as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate on H. J. R. No. 3:

Senators Parkhouse, Hardeman, Moffett, Kazen and Wood.

Senate Bill 210 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Hudson and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 210, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 314, General Laws of the 41st Legislature, Regular Session, as amended, by amending paragraph (e) of subsection (1) of Section 1a thereof, so as to clarify said paragraph (e), which excepts from the definition of "Motor Carrier," and "Contract Carrier," etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 210 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 32 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 210 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Moffett
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent

Ashley	Martin
Fuller	Moore

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Moffett
Bradshaw	Owen
Colson	Parkhouse
Fly	Phillips
Gonzalez	Ratliff
Hardeman	Reagan
Hazlewood	Roberts
Herring	Rogers
Hudson	Secrest
Kazen	Smith
Krueger	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	Wood

Absent

Ashley	Martin
Fuller	Moore

Absent—Excused

Bracewell

Senate Resolution 280

Senator Owen offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have as visitors in the Senate Margaret Joe Harbin of Kermit and Shirley Lee of Houston; and

Whereas, We desire to welcome these distinguished visitors to the Capitol Building and Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That their presence be recognized by the Senate of Texas and that they be extended the official welcome of the Senate.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senator Owen by unanimous consent presented the guests to the Members of the Senate.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Hardeman the Senate at 12:15 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

In Memory of
Mrs. Fred Sandberg

Senator Phillips offered the following resolution:

(Senate Resolution 277)

Whereas, In the passing of Mrs. Fred Sandberg on March 20, 1957, the people of Texas City and Texas lost one of its most beloved and outstanding citizens; and

Whereas, Mrs. Fred Sandberg was a pioneer resident of Texas City, having been born in Chicago, Illinois, in 1877, and having moved first to Galveston in 1881 and then to Texas City in 1910, and had a permanent influence on the charitable and religious progress of that community and of Galveston County; and

Whereas, Mrs. Fred Sandberg is survived by two sons, W. H. Sandberg, of Texas City, and Fred Sandberg of Kilgore, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. John Cranston and Mrs. George Belcher, both of Galveston; and two grandchildren; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the desire of the Senate of the 55th Legislature to pay tribute to this fine citizen and her family; and, be it further

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourns today, it do so in her memory; and that a page in the permanent Senate Journal be devoted to the recording of this Resolution; and, be it further

Resolved, That enrolled copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the surviving members of her family as a token of respect and sympathy.

The resolution was read and was adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.